

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE


 Re application of: Raymond Paul Covit

Application No.: 10/673,700

Group No.: 3748

Filed: September 29, 2003

Examiner: Binh Tran

For: Diesel Engine Exhaust Purification System

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is an Supplemental Response for this application.

☐ Additional papers enclosed:☒ Applicant claims small entity status pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply.

- ☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)) for the total number of months checked below:

Extension (months)		Fee for Other Than Small Entity		Fee for Small Entity	
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month 1.17(a)(1)	\$ 120.00	1251	\$ 60.00	2251
<input type="checkbox"/>	two months 1.17(a)(2)	\$ 450.00	1252	\$ 225.00	2252
<input type="checkbox"/>	three months 1.17(a)(3)	\$ 1,020.00	1253	\$ 510.00	2253
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months 1.17(a)(4)	\$ 1,590.00	1254	\$ 795.00	2254
<input type="checkbox"/>	five months 1.17(a)(5)	\$ 2,160.00	1255	\$ 1,080.00	2255

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

- ☐ An extension for _____ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$_____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.
- ☐ Extension fee due with this request \$_____.
- ☒ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 with sufficient postage as first class mail.

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The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT			HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY RATE		SMALL ENTITY RATE	
						FEE		FEE	
Total	57	minus	57	=	0	x \$50 =	\$ 0.00	x \$25 =	\$ 0.00
Indep.	7	minus	4	=	3	x \$200 =	\$ 600.00	x \$100 =	\$ 300.00
<input type="checkbox"/> First presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim						+ \$360 =		+ \$180 =	
						TOTAL	\$600.00	TOTAL	\$300.00

☐ No additional fee for claims is required.

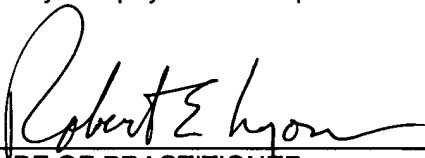
☒ Total additional fee for claims required is \$ 300.00.

☒ Attached is a ☒ check ☐ money order in the amount of \$ 300.00.

☐ Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. **502481**.

☒ Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **502481**. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

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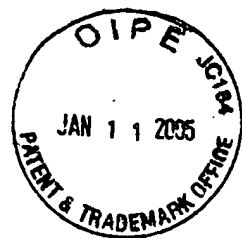


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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In further response to the Office Action mailed September 7, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 19 of this paper.

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